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**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re application of : KABI P. PADHI, ET AL.  
Serial No. : 10/700,872  
File Date : November 4, 2003  
For : APPARATUS, METHOD, AND COMPUTER PROGRAM FOR  
COMPARING AUDIO SIGNALS  
Art Unit : 2614  
Examiner : George C. Monikang  
Confirmation : 6611

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION**

This communication responds to a Final Office Action mailed November 12, 2010, which has a shortened statutory period for reply set to expire on February 12, 2011. As this Reply is being filed within two months of the mailing date of the Final Office Action, the Applicant requests an Advisory Action.